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1340 E Washington St.  
Pasadena Calif.

March 28th 1924

Chas J Lummis

200 E. Ave. 48

Los Angeles Calif.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to express the appreciation of myself and family for your wonderful both and old Spanish music recently sent us over our little Crystal Radio set here on my "shut in(?)" porch in California's wonderful air and surroundings. I am sending you my check for a copy of your songs and am being so bold as to ask you to Auto graph my copy if you will. I am at present on the shelf after an active life practicing medicine (1840 in Chicago and again here) I honor you for the monumental work you are doing to leave behind you a permanent historical, (and so valuable to others) monuments to your good work. With sincere good wishes. I am

Yours very truly. F.A. Phillips MD

1340 E. Washington St.  
Pasadena Calif



April 19, 1924

My dear Dr. Phillips:-

That is a very gratifying letter, and I am glad indeed if my talk and the old songs gave some pleasure to a "shut-in." I can appreciate it all the more, because during three years and a half of my early collecting of these folksongs, I was paralyzed; and tho I wasn't shut in, I was shut off from a good many things. And in these wonderful songs I found great solace, as well as keen artistic pleasure.

I am glad to send you the desired copy of the Spanish Songs of Old California, autographed; and am sure you will find this collection a treasury.

The book is already in its 4th thousand, and I am preparing a Second Book for this Fall, with fourteen other songs.

Trusting you will soon recover your accustomed health, and with all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Dr. F. A. Phillips,  
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